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THE MADRAS LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

Thursday, the 28th March 1963.

The House met in the Counil Chamber, Fort St. George at three of the clock, the Deputy Chairman (SRI V. K. PALANISWAMY GOUNDER) in the Chair.

I.—QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

STARRED QUESTIONS.

Bridge across Kudamuritti river

* 90 *Q*.—DR. A. SREENIVASAN: Will the Hon. the Chief Minister be pleased to state—

(*a*) the amount, if any, contributed by the public towards the construction of a bridge across Kudamuritti river between Andankoil and Hanuman temple in Kumbakonam taluk, Thanjavur district;

(*b*) whether the work has been taken up; and

(*c*) if not, the reasons therefor?

THE HON. SRI R. VENKATARAMAN (on behalf of the Hon. the Chief Minister): (*a*) Rs. 1,050.

(*b*) No.

(*c*) The required quantum of public contribution is not forthcoming.

Metal road to Varahoor village

* 91 *Q*.—SRI G. KRISHNAMOORTHY: Will the Hon. the Chief Minister be pleased to state with reference to the answer given to Legislative Council Question No. 107 on 4th March 1961—

(*a*) whether the metal road to Varahoor village from the main road connecting Kandiyur with Tirukattupalli in Thanjavur taluk has since been laid; and

(*b*) if not, the reasons for the delay?

THE HON. SRI R. VENKATARAMAN (on behalf of the Hon. the Chief Minister): (*a*) No.

(*b*) The delay is due to the slackness of the contractor at every stage and lately due to local heavy rains.

SRI G. KRISHNAMOORTHY: When is it expected to be completed, Sir?

THE HON. SRI R. VENKATARAMAN: The work is being carried on. It is expected to be finished as soon as possible.